STATE OF MICHIGAN – WEB ADVERTISEMENT FORM

Advertisement for Bids for Battle Creek Public Schools

Project Description

Sealed bid proposals will be accepted from qualified contractors by Battle Creek Public Schools for roof replacement at Mathematics and Science Center. Proposals may be mailed or delivered in person to:

Mr. David Disler Chief Financial Officer 3 West VanBuren Street Battle Creek, Mi 49017

Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting

A mandatory pre-bid meeting and project walk-through will be conducted by the consultant, StructureTec Corporation, on March 2, 2005, at 10:00 AM (local time). The meeting will convene at: Mathematics and Science Center, located at: 765 Upton Avenue, Battle Creek, MI.

Bid Information

Proposals must be received prior to 2:00 PM (local time) on March 16, 2005 at the above address. Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at 2:00 PM in the Business Office. All bids received after 2:00 PM on the bid date will not be accepted and will be returned to the Bidder unopened.

Proposals and Award

The Project will utilize one (1) prime contractor. The contract for construction will be a direct contract with the Owner and executed on AIA Document A101 (1997 edition) – "Standard Form of Agreement between Owner & Contractor". Project administration will be the responsibility of: StructureTec Corporation 4777 Campus Drive, Kalamazoo, MI 49008.

NOTE: The Owner may also award contracts, to separate prime contractors for separate bid divisions or combinations of bid divisions. All bids shall be submitted on the bid forms provided in the project specifications, completely filled in, and executed (copies of the bid forms are acceptable). Facsimile bids will not be accepted.

Plans and Questions

One (1) set of Bidding Documents will be provided to each bidding contractor attending the mandatory pre-bid meeting. All questions regarding the bidding procedures, design, and drawing/specification intent are to be directed to the Project Consultant.

Bid Security

A Bid Security by a qualified surety authorized to do business in the state where the Project is located and in the amount of five percent (5%) of the Base Bid shall accompany each proposal. The Bid Security may be in the form of a Bid Bond, Cashier's Check, or Money Order. Personal checks are NOT acceptable. Bid may not be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the bid date. Successful Bidders may be required to furnish Surety Bonds as stated in the Project Specifications.

Familial Disclosure

All bidders must provide familial disclosure in compliance with MCL 380.1267 and attach this information to the bid. The bid shall be accompanied by a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship that exists between the Owner or the employee of the bidder and any member of the board, intermediate school board, or board of directors or the superintendent of the school district, or chief executive officer of the public school academy. The District shall not accept a bid that does not include this sworn and notarized disclosure statement.

Owners Rights

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, and to waive informalities, irregularities, and/or errors in the bid proposals, which they feel to be in their own best interest.